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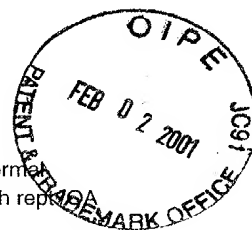
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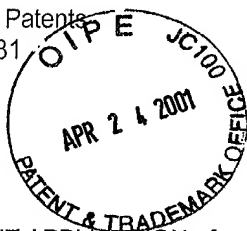
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Sir:

Herewith is the PATENT APPLICATION of
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1. Specification: 32 pages (only spec. and claims) 2. ☐ Specification in non-English language
3. Declaration ☒ Original ☐ Facsimile/Copy ☒ Abstract 1 page(s); 22 numbered claims
4. ☐ Drawings: sheet(s) ☐ informal; ☐ formal of size: ☐ A4 ☐ 11"
5. ☐ See top first page re prior Provisional, National or International application(s). ("X" box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 5 or 6). (Prior M# SN)

6. **AMEND the specification** please by inserting before the first line: -- This is a ☐ Continuation-in-Part
☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation ☐ Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:

6(a) ☐ National Appln. No. / filed (M#)

6(b) ☐ International Appln. No. filed
which designated the U.S., and that International Application ☐ was ☐ was not published under PCT Article 21(2) in English.--

7. ☐ **AMEND the specification** by inserting before the first line: -- This application claims the benefit of U.S.
Provisional Application No. 60/ , filed . --

8. ☒ Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned.

9. ☐ Prior application is assigned to

by Assignment recorded Reel Frame

10. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in GREAT BRITAIN

11. (country)

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 0002366.3	February 3, 2000	(2)	
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12. 1 (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☒ attached; ☐ previously filed (date)
in U.S. Application No. / filed on
13. Small entity status ☐ ☒ is **not** claimed; ☐ is claimed (**Pre-filing confirmation required**)
- 13(a). ☐ Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s) (since 9/8/00 small entity statement(s) **not essential** to make claim)

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14. **DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

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15. ☐ This application is being filed under Rule 53(b)(2) since an inventor is named in the enclosed Declaration who was not named in the prior application.

16. ☒ Attached: 6 Pages of Sequence Listing

17. ☐ Preliminary Amendment:

THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY ABOVE CANCELLED

				Large/Small Entity		Fee Code
18. Basic Filing Fee				\$710/\$355	\$710	101/201
19. Total Effective Claims	27	minus 20 =	*7	x \$18/\$9 =	+ 126	103/203
20. Independent Claims	14	minus 3 =	*11	x \$80/\$40 =	+ 880	102/202
*If answer is zero or less, enter "0"						
21. If any proper multiple dependent claim (ignore improper) is present, add (Leave this line blank if this is a reissue application)				+ \$270/\$135	+ 270	104/204
22.	TOTAL FILING FEE ENCLOSED =				\$1986	
23. If "non-English" box 2 is X'd, add Rule 17(k) processing fee				+ \$130	+ 0	139
24. If "assignment" box 8 is X'd, add recording fee				+ \$40	+ 40	581
25. <input type="checkbox"/> Attached is a Petition/Fee under Rule No.				+ \$130	+ 0	122
26.	TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =				\$2026	

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This **CHARGE STATEMENT** does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.

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